

REMARKS

In response to the restriction requirement, Applicant elects claims 1 – 63 without traverse. Claim 64 has been withdrawn.

In response to the election of species requirement, Applicant elects the species: iv) a steroid receptor agent that acts on glucocorticoid receptor; without traverse. Claims 12, 13, 16, 17, 26, 27, 36, 37, 46, 47, 56, 57 read on Species iv.

The following claim(s) are generic: 1 – 11, 14, 15, 24, 25, 34, 35, 44, 45, 54, 55. The generic claims are retained pending an allowance.

The following non-elected species claims are withdrawn from consideration:

Species i) 18, 19, 28, 29, 38, 39, 48, 49, 58, 59

Species ii) 22, 23, 32, 33, 42, 43, 52, 53, 62, 63

Species iii) 20, 21, 30, 31, 40, 41, 50, 51, 60, 61

Applicant notes with appreciation the Examiner's renumbering the second instance of a "claim 62". This claim is now claim 64.

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